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SUBJECT: SPEAKERS FOR SEMINAR "UNIVERSITY AND SOCIETY"

1. POST ORGANIZING THREE-DAY HIGH IMPACT SEMINAR
"UNIVERSITY AND SOCIETY" IN WEEK MAY 5-11. SEMINAR
WILL REVIVE "CHALLENGE OF TWENTIETH CENTURY" SERIES
WHICH WAS SUCCESSFUL ANNUAL EVENT 1963-1970.

2. SEMINAR WILL BE MAJOR FY-74 PROGRAM AND POST
WILLING EXPEND SUBSTANTIAL EFFORT.

3. WE EXPECT SEMINAR WILL BE JOINT VENTURE OF POST,
GOV MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, AND FOUNDATION FOR
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT (FUNDACOMUN). IT WILL BE HELD
OUTSIDE CARACAS, POSSIBLY AT ASSOCIATION OF VENEZUELAN
JOURNALISTS (AVP) VACATION HOUSE.

4. APPROX 40 PARTICIPANTS WILL BE DRAWN FROM
UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATORS. GOV MINISTRY OF
EDUCATION OFFICIALS, DIRECTORS PRIVATE
FOUNDATIONS, CONCERNED BUSINESSMEN, JOURNALISTS,
ETC. FROM PARTICIPANTS WE HOPE SELECT MEMBERS FOR
GROUP TRAVEL PROJECT TO U.S. LATER IN YEAR.

5. SEMINAR WILL FOCUS ON UNIVERSITY'S ROLE IN
SOCIETY, ROLE OF JUNIOR COLLEGE, ADULT EDUCATION,
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ROLE OF TECHNICAL TRAINING, ETC.

6. POST NEEDS SERVICES OF TWO HIGH LEVEL U.S. EDUCATORS SUCH AS CLARK KERR, KINGMAN BRESTER OF YALE, FRANCIS PERKINS OF INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL FOR EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, SAMUEL GOULD, EX-CHANCELLOR OF SUNY, JOHN SILBER OF BOSTON UNIVERSITY, FATHER HESBURGH OF NOTRE DAME, DR. JEROME WEISNER OF MIT, DR. PAUL GRAY OF MIT, ALAN PIFER FROM CARNEGIE CORPORATION OF NEW YORK.

7. NEED SOONEST LIST POSSIBLE U.S. SPEAKERS TO BEGIN DETAILED PLANNING. REALIZE FINAL CHOICES REQUIRE FULL NAME CHECK, ETC.
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